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17	FRANCES AGNEW DBA FRAN CALISTA, FRAN CALISTA	PLAINTIFF PATAGONIA, INC.'S APPLICATION FOR TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER AND ORDER			
18 19	CLOSET LLC, ALL THINGS ALI, LLC, ORC SHOP LLC, ALISON	TO SHOW CAUSE			
20	RAÉ FEASTER, BROÓKE L. HUNSUCKER DBA BROOKE	UNREDACTED VERSION OF			
21	LEANN ALLEN, BAILEY RENAE MILLER, JEFFREY FRANCIS MOORE, LEE WILLIAM,	DOCUMENT PROPOSED TO BE FILED UNDER SEAL			
22	COLSON TY AGNEW, PUTIAN LOMANDO TRADING CO., LTD				
23	AND DOES 1-10,				
24	Defendants.				
25	I, Paymaneh Parhami, declare:				
26	1. I am an attorney admitted to practice in the State of California, and				
27	practice with the law firm of Verso Law Group LLP ("Verso"), attorneys of record				
28	for Plaintiff Patagonia, Inc. ("Patagonia"), in this proceeding. Except where other				
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- sources of information are noted, I make this declaration based on my personal knowledge and, if called as a witness, I could and would competently testify thereto.
- I make and submit this declaration in connection with Patagonia's Ex 2. Parte Application for Temporary Restraining Order and Order to Show Cause for Why Preliminary Injunction Should Not Be Entered ("Ex Parte Application").
- Verso is an Intellectual Property specialty firm focusing on brand protection. As part of my job, I advise various brands and companies, including Patagonia, on anti-counterfeiting and brand enforcement strategies. My colleagues and I have been involved in a large amount of infringement and counterfeiting matters for Patagonia and other major brands.
- Verso represents Patagonia in intellectual property and litigation matters 4. across the country. Verso has overseen and conducted (and continues to oversee and conduct) the investigation into Defendants' counterfeiting scheme, detailed in Patagonia's Complaint and Ex Parte Application.
- The investigation revealed that Defendants are operating an international 5. and widespread counterfeiting ring using Facebook "closed groups" and private Telegram channels.
- On December 31, 2024, Patagonia received two seizure reports from 6. U.S. Customs and Border Protection ("CBP") indicating that CBP had seized sixty (60) counterfeit goods bearing Patagonia's trademark(s). Patagonia promptly sent the seizure reports to Verso. I personally reviewed both seizure reports. Attached as **Exhibit 1** are true and correct copies of these seizure reports.
- On January 9, 2025, I, on behalf of Patagonia, sent a letter to the 7. importer identified on the seizure reports ("KGL"), informing her that importing counterfeit Patagonia products with the intent to sell to consumers is illegal and harmful to Patagonia's brand and reputation. In response to my letter, KGL informed me that she purchased the seized counterfeit Patagonia products using a Facebook closed group called "ORC Style Guide" on or around October to December 2024.

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27 28 She admitted that this was not the only time she had purchased Patagonia-branded products through this Facebook group. KGL also informed me about a second closed Facebook group called "ORC Shop" that KGL believed to be related to the ORC Style Guide group.

- KGL explained that both Facebook groups are private and invitationonly and are used to promote and sell purported brand name products, including Patagonia, Lululemon, and Tiffany and Company, at a significant discount to group members. Although KGL represented that she is not an administrator of the Facebook groups, KGL is a member of the ORC Style Guide group—allowing her to view posts made within the private group. Based on KGL's membership in ORC Style Guide group and review of the posts and products advertised, KGL identified a person by the name of "Fran Calista" as the "ringleader of the whole operation" and one of the administrators of both the ORC Style Guide and ORC Shop Facebook groups.
- KGL provided me with screenshots from the ORC Style Guide group, 9. showing that Defendants Ali Feaster, Brooke Leann Allen, and Bailey Miller have promoted a large number of counterfeit Patagonia products within the group posts. Attached as **Exhibit 2** is a true and correct copy of these screenshots.
- KGL further informed me that Fran Calista travels to China multiple 10. times a year to go to factories to source products to sell through these private Facebook groups. KGL stated she knew this because Fran Calista posts on the ORC Style Guide group about her trips to China, including photos of herself at various Chinese factories. Attached as Exhibit 3 is a true and correct copy of a Facebook post by Fran Calista about her travels to China, including a post asking members for product sourcing requests.
- KGL also told me that Fran Calista stores products at multiple warehouses in Los Angeles and Atlanta, and that during the holiday seasons, Ms. Calista offers holiday promotions where she offers to ship consumers products from

KGL told me that she became aware of Patagonia-branded products

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3 being promoted on the ORC Style Guide group at the end of 2024. She stated that the 4 way the ORC Style Guide group generally works (which was later confirmed by my 5 and Patagonia's investigator's investigations) is that the administrators and 6 moderators pretend to post "reviews" of branded products, and then in the comments 7 sections, actually provide links to online storefronts hosted on AliExpress or Shopify 8 9 where the counterfeit products can be purchased. Generally, the storefronts do not identify the product by brand name. However, KGL told me that when she purchased 10 the Patagonia-branded products being promoted through the ORC Style Guide group 11 using the linked online storefronts, she understood that the products she was 12 13 purchasing would be Patagonia-branded. KGL also told me that the links to 14 AliExpress and Shopify shops are frequently taken down, and new ones posted. This is consistent with my and Patagonia's investigator's observations as the web site links 15 16

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- Patagonia's investigator used to make test buys have been disabled. KGL promoted and sold some of the counterfeit Patagonia products she 13. purchased through the ORC Style Guide group through her online store. Patagonia has entered into a settlement agreement with KGL. Among other terms, KGL has agreed not to purchase or sell counterfeit Patagonia products in the future.
- 14. Prior to speaking with KGL, Patagonia and Verso had no knowledge of Defendants' counterfeiting operation or the ORC Style Guide and ORC Shop Facebook groups since the groups are private and therefore all posts and/or comments are only visible to group members.
- 15. Through my own investigation, I discovered that the ORC Style Guide group has over 60,000 members and the ORC Shop group has nearly 114,000 members.

- 16. Based on my conversations with KGL, I had reason to believe that counterfeit Patagonia products were being offered for sale in both groups. This was partly based on the fact that KGL had told me that the ORC Shop group was administered by the same individuals as the ORC Style Guide group.
- 17. I contacted Patagonia's investigator (the "Investigator") and requested that Investigator become a member of both Facebook groups, review the posts and comments in both groups, and determine whether counterfeit Patagonia products were being sold and/or discussed by members and/or administrators of these groups.
- 18. On or about February 5, 2025, Investigator informed me that they were admitted to the ORC Style Guide group but not the ORC Shop group. It appears that the ORC Shop group has instituted an "adding freeze"—not admitting any new members to its current 114,000 membership. <sup>1</sup>
- 19. Through our investigation, we determined that the ORC Style Guide group was created on October 4, 2016, and has used various names over the years, including "AliExpress Teens and Tweens." A true and correct copy of ORC Style Guide's name history is attached as **Exhibit 4**.
- 20. As a member of ORC Style Guide, Investigator identified Fran Calista as an administrator of ORC Style Guide, confirming the information I received from KGL. Based on the investigation, Fran Calista is also known as Frances Marie Miller, Frances Agnew, Fran Agnew, Fran N. Agnew, and Frances M. Agnew (hereinafter referred to as "Defendant Frances Agnew").
- 21. As a part of the investigation, I instructed Investigator to determine the true identities of the individuals involved in promoting and selling counterfeit Patagonia products, and to locate their last known addresses. Investigator's report determined that Brooke Leann Allen's real name is Brooke L. Hunsucker, and that

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Our investigation revealed that the ORC Shop Facebook group rules direct members to download the AliExpress App and create an account in order to purchase counterfeit products.

Defendant Frances Agnew owns and operates multiple businesses, along with her

partner, Jeffrey Moore, and her son, Colson Agnew: Fran Calista Closet LLC, ORC

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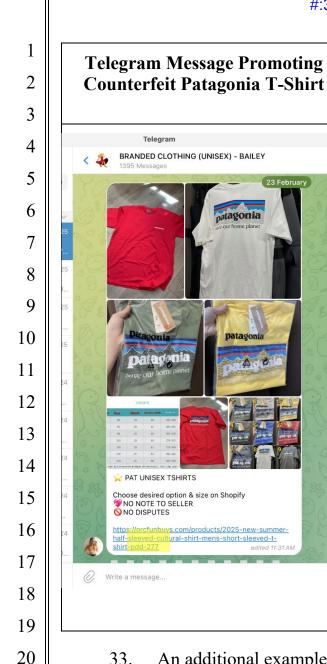
27 28 Shop LLC and All Things Ali, LLC—all of which are connected to the counterfeiting scheme.

- 22. According to the Florida Secretary of State records, Defendant Frances Agnew is the owner of the entities ORC Shop LLC, Fran Calista Closet LLC, and All Things Ali, LLC. True and correct copies of screenshots from the Florida Secretary of State website are attached as **Exhibit 5**. Notably, Defendant Frances Agnew's "ORC Shop LLC" entity shares a similar name as the ORC Style Guide and ORC Shop groups, further evidencing Defendant Frances Agnew's involvement in this counterfeiting conspiracy.
- Investigator also identified other Facebook profiles that are listed as administrators of the ORC Style Guide group who are associated with Defendant Frances Agnew, including "Fran Calista," "Fran Calista's Closet," "Fran N. Agnew," and "Fran Agnew." Based on our investigation, we believe all of these Facebook profiles belong to Defendant Frances Agnew since the profiles use various aliases associated with Defendant Frances Agnew and/or are identical to the names of the entities Defendant Frances Agnew owns and manages.
- 24. Investigator determined that in addition to Defendant Frances Agnew, Defendants Mr. Colson Agnew, Ms. Ali Feaster, and Ms. Brooke Allen are also administrators of the ORC Style Guide Facebook group. A true and correct copy of the list of the ORC Style Guide group administrators is attached as Exhibit 6.
- As part of my investigation, I reviewed screenshots of Facebook posts 25. on the ORC Style Guide group provided by Investigator and KGL. These screenshots show that Defendants Ali Feaster, Brooke Leann Allen, and Bailey Miller participate in promoting, selling, or offering for sale of Patagonia counterfeit products in the ORC Style Guide group. Attached as Exhibit 17 are true and correct screenshots of posts promoting counterfeit Patagonia products in the ORC Style Guide group.

- 26. Investigator learned that in an attempt to disguise their counterfeiting scheme, Defendants sometimes use the abbreviation "Pat" or "Pata" or completely avoid referencing the products by brand name in the text of the Facebook post.
- 27. As a member of the ORC Style Guide group, Investigator confirmed that Defendants who post about the products in ORC Style Guide group typically pretend they are posting "reviews" of the products but in reality, post pictures of the counterfeit products, and in the comments, direct consumers to online storefronts and e-commerce websites, such as Shopify, to purchase the products. Defendants also encourage members of the ORC Style Guide group to join a related Telegram group, called Shop ORC, where they provide information needed to access the online storefronts to purchase the counterfeit products. Defendants claim that the products are offered by "trusted sellers." Investigator was told or saw that many of the counterfeit products were often sold out, even after an order was placed.
- 28. Investigator identified posts in ORC Style Guide group by Defendant Frances Agnew, using her "Fran Calista" profile, encouraging members to join the related private Telegram group called "Shop ORC" to "find the items." A true and correct copy of an example of one of Fran Calista's Facebook posts is attached as **Exhibit 7**.
- 29. Investigator became a member of the Shop ORC Telegram group. Based on our investigation, we determined that the Shop ORC Telegram group has almost 80,000 members. Our investigation revealed that through this private Telegram group, Defendants Ms. Ali Feaster, Ms. Brooke Allen, and Ms. Bailey Miller promote, offer for sale, and/or sell counterfeit Patagonia-branded products. A true and correct copy of Defendants' posts from the Shop ORC Telegram group are attached as **Exhibit 8.**
- 30. Our investigation revealed that Defendants direct members of the Facebook and Telegram groups to various online stores, generally hosted on the

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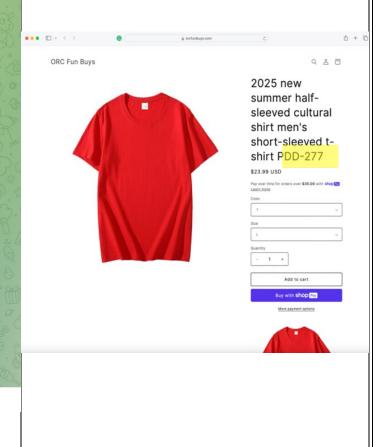
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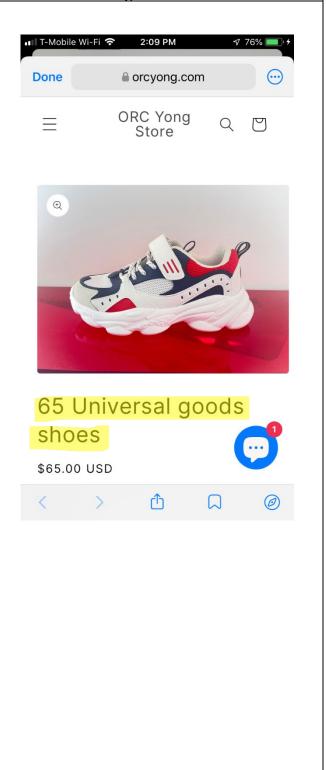
#### Online Storefront Using Code Marketing to Sell Counterfeit Patagonia T-Shirt



33. An additional example of Defendants' "code marketing" is shown below. In the private Telegram group, Defendant Brooke Leann Allen promoted a counterfeit Patagonia jacket and provided the URL (highlighted below) to members of the group, including Investigator. The URL to the public storefront referenced "universal-goods-shoes," not the Patagonia jacket that was promoted to the private Telegram Group. Investigator used the URL, which took Investigator to a listing for the "65 Universal goods" shoe as shown in the image below. Investigator made a purchase from this listing and ultimately received the counterfeit Patagonia jacket that was promoted by Defendant Brooke Leann Allen to the Telegram group.

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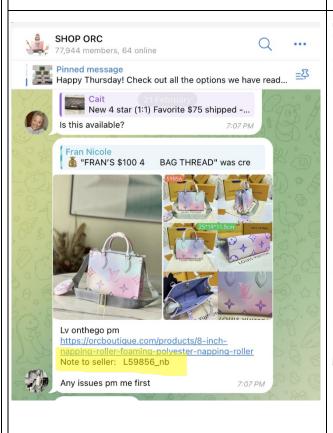
True and correct copies of the above screenshots showing Defendants' codemarketing are attached as **Exhibit 9**.

34. Defendants promote other branded products in the same way.

Defendant Frances Agnew (aka Fran Nicole) made postings promoting an "Lv onthego PM" bag, showing a photograph of the bag and providing a link in the Shop ORC Telegram group. The link provided in the Telegram group referenced an "8 inch napping roller"—which was also referenced in the product listing on the online storefront Investigator was directed to when they clicked on the link (in the image on the right below). True and correct copies of the below screenshots showing Defendants' code-marketing of the "Lv onthego pm" product are attached as **Exhibit 18**.

# **Telegram Message Promoting Counterfeit Louis Vuitton Bag**

#### Online Storefront Using Code Marketing Shows This Image To Sell Counterfeit Louis Vuitton Bag





Patagonia's investigator purchased this "napping roller" for \$104 on 35. Defendant Frances Agnew's online storefront, orcboutique.com, hosted on Shopify. The Investigator received the "Lv onthego PM" bag that was promoted in the private Telegram group. Images of the bag Investigator received are shown below and are included in Exhibit 18:

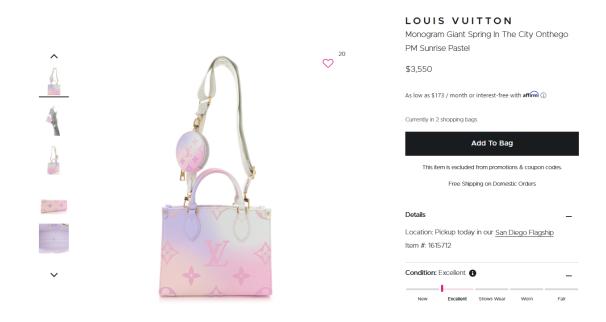






36. Below is an online listing for a used Louis Vuitton Onthego PM bag, offered with a certificate of authenticity, for \$3550. A true and correct copy of the Fashion Phile listing is attached as Exhibit 18.

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- 37. At my direction, Investigator placed purchases for products from Defendants Ali Feaster, Brooke Leann Allen, Bailey Miller, and Frances Agnew. Investigator made these purchases using PayPal but also determined that Defendants' storefronts accept numerous other payment providers. In connection with making some of the purchases, Investigator communicated with these individuals via the Telegram group. True and correct copies of examples Investigator's Telegram communications are attached as **Exhibit 10**. I have reviewed each of these communications.
- 38. On March 6, 2025, Investigator placed an order for a "Patagonia Down Sweater Jacket" for \$69.90 with Defendant Brooke Leann Allen using her online storefront orcyoung.com hosted on Shopify. Investigator used PayPal to make this purchase. Notably, the retail price for an authentic Patagonia Down Sweater Jacket is between \$200-\$400.
- 39. On March 6, 2025, Investigator placed an order for a "Pat Unisex Tshirt" for \$28.89 with Defendant Bailey Miller using her online storefront orcfunbuys.com hosted on Shopify. Investigator used PayPal to make this purchase. Notably, the retail price for an authentic Patagonia t-shirt is between \$45-\$70.

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- On March 6, 2025, Investigator placed an order for a "LV onthego pm" 40. Louis Vuitton-branded bag for \$104.01 with Defendant Frances Agnew, promoted under her alias "Fran Nicole." Investigator used PayPal to make this purchase.
- 41. On March 18, 2025, Investigator placed an order for one "PAT logo hoodie" for \$35.99 with Defendant Bailey Miller using her online storefront orcfunbuys.com hosted on Shopify. Investigator used PayPal to make this purchase. Notably, the retail price for an authentic Patagonia Hoodie Sweatshirt is between \$89-\$119.
- 42. Also on March 18, 2025, Investigator placed a second order for a threepack of "Patagonia Men Underpants 3pcs/lot" for \$39.90 with Defendant Bailey Miller using her online storefront bwalishop.com hosted on Shopify. Investigator used PayPal to make this purchase. Notably, the retail price for one authentic Patagonia underwear is \$35 (\$105 for three units).
- 43. On March 27, 2025, Investigator received the "Patagonia Down Sweater Jacket" they ordered on March 6 from Defendant Brooke Leann Allen. The jacket was shipped to Investigator in Southern California. True and correct copies of Defendant Brooke Leann Allen's promotion of the Patagonia Down Sweater Jacket on the Shop ORC Telegram group, the listing for the product on her online store, the receipt for the purchase, and an image of the product received are attached as Exhibit 11.
- 44. On April 10, 2025, Investigator received the "Patagonia Men Underpants 3pcs/lot," "Pat Unisex Tshirt," and "PAT logo hoodie" they ordered on March 6 and March 18 from Defendant Bailey Miller. The underwear, t-shirt, and hoodie were shipped to Investigator in Southern California. True and correct copies Defendant Bailey Miller's promotion of the "Patagonia Men Underpants 3pcs/lot," "Pat Unisex Tshirt," and "PAT logo hoodie" on the Shop ORC Telegram group, the listing for the products on her online store, the receipt for the purchases, and images of the products received are attached as Exhibit 16.

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- Verso provided photos of the Patagonia-branded jacket, underwear, t-45. shirt, and hoodie Investigator received to Patagonia. Upon inspection of the photos, Patagonia determined that all of the products that Investigator received are indeed counterfeit products. See Declaration of Traci Escamilla in Support of Plaintiff, Patagonia, Inc.'s Application for Temporary Restraining Order and Order to Show Cause ("Escamilla Decl.") ¶ 27.
- The counterfeit Patagonia products being promoted by Defendants in the 46. Facebook and Telegram groups are visually identical and compete with authentic goods sold by Patagonia. Patagonia has not authorized Defendants' counterfeit sales of Patagonia-branded products.
- The shipping labels for Patagonia products purchased by Investigator 47. from various Defendants identify two warehouses in Los Angeles as the shippers. Based on our investigation, we believe the Los Angeles warehouses are the warehouses that Defendant Frances Agnew and other Defendants use to store and ship counterfeit products.
- 48. However, we believe the products were originally shipped or sourced from China. This is, in part, based on the fact that the return instructions provided on some of the online storefronts used to purchase the products identify a return address located in China. True and correct copies of the shipping labels and the return instructions provided on the online storefronts are attached as Exhibit 12.
- 49. One of the shipping labels received by Investigator for two of the counterfeit Patagonia products identified "Peter Wang" as the shipper with a corresponding address at 5353 W. Imperial Hwy., Los Angeles, CA 90045. Based on our investigation, Peter Wang appears to be a convicted counterfeiter. Attached as Exhibit 19 is a true and correct copy of an article published by U.S. Immigration and Customs Enforcement regarding Mr. Wang's conviction. The article also discusses Mr. Wang's use of code marketing or product-mislabeling to sell counterfeit products—which resembles the marketing tactics used by Defendants in this matter.

- 50. I reviewed the PayPal transaction receipts from the Investigator's purchases of counterfeit products. The receipts revealed additional individuals and entities involved in the sale and promotion of counterfeit products. True and correct copies of the PayPal transaction receipts are attached as **Exhibit 13.** For example, these receipts identified additional sellers of counterfeit products, including:
  - Defendant Shop ORC LLC, an entity owned by Defendant Frances
     Agnew (aka Fran Calista) and managed by her son, Defendant Colson
     Agnew;
  - Defendant Jeffrey Moore, the partner/spouse of Defendant Frances Agnew;
  - Defendant Lee William (an individual about whom we have yet to find any information)<sup>2</sup>; and
  - Two Chinese sellers, Defendant Putian Co. and Fan Jun (an individual/entity about whom we have yet to find any information)
- 51. Given the number of individuals and entities involved in this counterfeiting scheme, I have included charts below summarizing each Defendants' role in this operation based on the investigations conducted by Verso and Investigator:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> PayPal receipts from Investigator's purchases from multiple Defendants identify Lee William as the seller, further leading us to believe that the Defendants are conspiring with one another in this counterfeiting operation.

#### <u>Defendants who have promoted counterfeit products on closed social</u> <u>media groups</u>

Defendant's	Defendant's Physical Address /	Social Media
Name	Associated Email Address(es) <sup>3</sup>	Group
Frances Agnew	2707 Skimmer Point Way S, Gulfport,	ORC Style
(aka Fran Calista	Florida 33707	Guide
or Fran Nicole)		(Facebook)
	orcboutique.com@contactprivacy.com	Shop ORC
		(Telegram)
Alison Rae	5505 High Bank Rd, Fort Worth, Texas	ORC Style
Feaster	76126	Guide
		(Facebook)
	1253534226@qq.com	Shop ORC
	store+82081906990@t.shopifyemail.com	(Telegram)
	leeo246889@gmail.com	
	1983630058@qq.com	
	ali-ali1shop.com@contactprivacy.com	
Brooke L.	1203 62nd St, Meridian, Mississippi	ORC Style
Hunsucker (dba	39305	Guide
Brooke Leann		(Facebook)
Allen)	leeo246889@gmail.com	Shop ORC
	cy710303125@gmail.com	(Telegram)
	532662123@qq.com	
Bailey Renae	6400 Aster Ave, Midland, Texas 79707	ORC Style
Miller		Guide
		(Facebook)
		Shop ORC
		(Telegram)
Colson Ty	6150 Gulfport Blvd. S. Apartment 406,	ORC Style
Agnew	Gulfport, Florida 33707	Guide
		(Facebook)

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Multiple Defendants are associated with the same email addresses. These email addresses were included on purchase receipts and order confirmation emails, along in connection with some of the online Shopify stores, for each respective Defendant listed.

#### <u>Defendants who have provided link(s) in the closed social media groups</u> <u>to their online storefronts to purchase counterfeit products</u>

Defendant's Name	Defendant's Physical Address / Associated Email Address	Defendant's Online Store(s)
Frances Agnew (aka Fran Calista or Fran	2707 Skimmer Point Way S, Gulfport, Florida 33707	Shopify: www.super- elevenshop.com https://orcboutique.c
Nicole)	orcboutique.com@contactprivacy.co m	om
Alison Rae Feaster	5505 High Bank Rd, Fort Worth, Texas 76126	Shopify: www.ali- ali1shop.com; https://coco-
	1253534226@qq.com store+82081906990@t.shopifyemail. com	cocoshop.com/; https://mnfindshop.c om
	leeo246889@gmail.com 1983630058@qq.com ali-	
	ali1shop.com@contactprivacy.com	G1 10
Brooke L. Hunsucker (aka Brooke Leann	1203 62nd St, Meridian, Mississippi 39305	Shopify: www.orcyong.com; https://coco-
Allen)	leeo246889@gmail.com cy710303125@gmail.com 532662123@qq.com	cocoshop.com/
Bailey Renae Miller	6400 Aster Ave, Midland, Texas 79707	Shopify: www.bwalishop.com;
	leeo246889@gmail.com Store+86404071703@t.shopifyemail. com	www.orcfunbuys.co m
	352114907@qq.com 276610074@qq.com orcfunbuys@gmail.com	
Colson Ty	6150 Gulfport Blvd. S. Apartment	Shopify:
Agnew	406, Gulfport, Florida 33707	www.kalvins.shop

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#### Defendants who are identified as sellers on PayPal receipts for test purchases of the counterfeit products conducted by Investigator

Defendant's Name	Defendant's Physical Address / Associated Email Address	Defendant's Online Store(s) Used to Make Purchases
Lee William	No physical address found	www.ali-
		ali1shop.comwww.bwalis
	leeo246889@gmail.com	hop.com
	276610074@qq.com	
Shop ORC LLC	6150 Gulfport Blvd, Apt. 406,	www.orcfunbuys.com
	Gulfport, Florida 33707	
	Store+69074223358@t.shopifye	
	mail.com	
	orcfunbuys@gmail.com	
Jeffrey Moore	2707 Skimmer Point Way S,	www.super-
	Gulfport, Florida 33707	elevenshop.com
	store+24628920367@t.shopifye	
	mail.com	
	orcshopboutique@gmail.com	
Putian Lomando	China, Fujian Province, Putian	www.orcyong.com
Trading Co., Ltd	City, Chengxiang District, No.	
dba Putian	171, Dongsha Village, Donghai	
Licheng District	Town, 351100	
Gold Carving		
and Jade	Leeo246889@gmail.com	
Carving Co.	cy710303125@gmail.com	

- 52. I asked the Investigator to spend one hour reviewing the profiles of the members of the ORC Style Guide Facebook group to confirm that the group includes members located in California. Based on Investigator's brief review, they identified at least 50 members who live in California, indicating that the counterfeit Patagonia products are being promoted and offered to many California residents.
- 53. Based upon my review of Meta's and Telegram's policies and terms of service, Defendants' activities violate Meta's and Telegram's policies prohibiting

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illegal activities, products, or services. True and correct copies of Meta's and Telegram's policies and terms of service are attached as Exhibit 14.

- My colleagues and I have advised clients and been involved in numerous 54. cases against counterfeiters, on behalf of several prominent brands and companies. Based on my experience, once a counterfeiter, fraudster, or scammer is alerted that legal action has been commenced, the defendant will likely go underground, taking the counterfeit inventory, if any, and proceeds of its scheme with them. Based on prior experience, defendants in a lawsuit like this one are likely to conceal evidence of their illegal activity by transferring assets or counterfeit products to different names or entities, and/or destroying important records, files, and/or goods.
- Patagonia and our law firm have invested significant resources to 55. identify the Defendants and uncover information about their counterfeiting scheme. To date, our investigation has identified multiple defendants. However, we believe there are more perpetrators involved in this counterfeiting ring, but we are unable to identify them without discovery from third party service providers, such as Meta, Telegram, Shopify, and PayPal.
- Our concern that the identified Defendants will move assets is magnified 56. by the fact that the alleged ringleader, Defendant Frances Agnew (aka Fran Calista) appears to have been reported to the Federal Bureau of Investigations ("FBI") for her prior involvement in importing, promoting, selling, and/or offering for sale counterfeit products. A true and correct copy of an article discussing Frances Agnew's prior involvement in counterfeiting and reports to the FBI is attached as Exhibit 15. In addition, Defendants appear to be working with a convicted counterfeiter, Peter Wang, to distribute the counterfeit products.
- This case is particularly brazen and dangerous to Patagonia's brand and 57. reputation given the widespread scope and history of this counterfeiting operation. Based on the investigation, it appears that Defendants have been operating the closed ORC Style Guide Facebook group since 2016, revealing a long history of operation.

- circumvent restraining orders and other remedies by disappearing or claiming ignorance of their responsibilities while simultaneously deleting or destroying evidence of their counterfeiting scheme and draining their financial accounts. There is also a high risk that evidence will be hidden or destroyed since the counterfeit goods at issue are apparel and accessories, which are easy to move and conceal.

  Accordingly, any order other than an *ex parte* order without prior notice is unlikely to achieve the purposes of the relief prescribed by the Lanham Act.
- 59. In my experience, Patagonia will continue to suffer substantial, irreparable harm to its reputation and its relationship with consumers if the Court does not issue such an order. It is also my experience that a scheme like this diverts individuals who otherwise would have purchased a genuine product from Patagonia, further magnifying the harm to Patagonia.

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- 60. In order to preserve both evidence and the financial status quo, Patagonia should be permitted to serve the Order on third parties whose services and participation are essential to Defendants ongoing violations.
- 61. Given that the only harm Defendants will suffer is lost profits from continuing their counterfeiting operation, the Court should not require a bond.
- 62. Some of the exhibits attached to this Declaration contain minor reductions to protect personal identifying information (names, phone numbers, addresses and email addresses) belonging to the Investigator and KGL.
- 63. Neither I, nor anyone else at Patagonia or Verso, to the best of my knowledge, have publicized this *Ex Parte* Application or Patagonia's intent to seek entry of a temporary restraining order against the Defendants to any third party. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on April 15, 2025, in Princeville, Hawaii.

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